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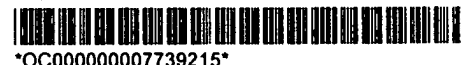
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

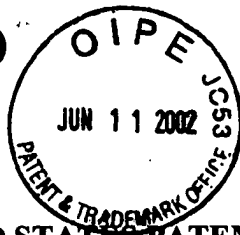
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First Named Inventor: CARPENTER, JAMES B.
Application No.: 10/028838 Group Art Unit: 1731
Filed: December 20, 2001 Examiner: Unknown
Title: APPARATUS FOR SELECTIVE PHOTOSENSITIZATION OF OPTICAL FIBER

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Please charge the surcharge provided in 37 CFR § 1.16(e), and charge any additional fees, such as the enclosed Request for Extension of Time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3723. One copy of this sheet marked duplicate is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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